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LETTER DATED 4 MARCH 1998 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES OF ALGERIA, EGYPT, THE LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA, MAURITANIA, MOROCCO, THE SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC AND TUNISIA TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

On instructions from our Governments, we, the members of the Arab Committee of Seven in New York, have the honour to request, as a matter of urgency, pursuant to Articles 11 and 12 of the Charter of the United Nations, the convening of a formal meeting of the Security Council to consider all aspects of the dispute between the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya and the United States of America and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland in the matter of the Lockerbie incident, especially in the light of the two judgments delivered by the International Court of Justice on 27 February 1998.

We should be grateful if you would have this letter circulated as an official document of the Security Council.

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